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SAMHSA-USDA Meeting: SAMHSA Resources

- **[Treatment Improvement Protocol 63](https://store.samhsa.gov/product/TIP-63-Medications-for-Opioid-Use-Disorder-Full-Documents-Including-Executive-Summary-and-Parts-1-5-/SMA18-5063FULLDOC)**: This Treatment Improvement Protocol (TIP) reviews the use of the three Food and Drug Administration (FDA)-approved medications used to treat opioid use disorder (OUD)—methadone, naltrexone, and buprenorphine—and the other strategies and services needed to support recovery for people with OUD. (<https://store.samhsa.gov/product/TIP-63-Medications-for-Opioid-Use-Disorder-Full-Documents-Including-Executive-Summary-and-Parts-1-5-/SMA18-5063FULLDOC>)
- **[Providers Clinical Support System](https://pcssnow.org/)**: PCSS is a program funded by SAMHSA and created in response to the opioid overdose epidemic to train primary care providers in the evidence-based prevention and treatment of opioid use disorders and treatment of chronic pain. PCSS is made up of a coalition, led by American Academy of Addiction Psychiatry (AAAP), of major healthcare organizations all dedicated to addressing this healthcare crisis. Through a variety of trainings and a clinical coaching program, PCSS's mission is to increase healthcare providers' knowledge and skills in the prevention, identification, and treatment of substance use disorders with a focus on opioid use disorders (<https://pcssnow.org/>)
- **[Evidence-Based Practices Resource Center](https://www.samhsa.gov/ebp-resource-center)**: This new Evidence-Based Practices Resource Center aims to provide communities, clinicians, policy-makers and others in the field with the information and tools they need to incorporate evidence-based practices into their communities or clinical settings. The Resource Center contains a collection of scientifically-based resources for a broad range of audiences, including Treatment Improvement Protocols, toolkits, resource guides, clinical practice guidelines, and other science-based resources. (<https://www.samhsa.gov/ebp-resource-center>)
- **[GAINS Center](https://www.samhsa.gov/gains-center)**: The Gather, Assess, Integrate, Network, and Stimulate (GAINS) Center focuses on expanding access to services for people with mental and/or substance use disorders who come into contact with the justice system. (<https://www.samhsa.gov/gains-center>)
- **[Addiction Technology Transfer Centers](#)**: The Addiction Technology Transfer Center (ATTC) Network trains the addiction workforce with latest evidence-based practices, informs that workforce on current research, and creates alliances among agencies and organizations that provide substance use disorder treatment and recovery services. Find training and academic programs, connect with an ATTC, and find support materials for trainers and pre-service educators, among other offerings. This includes:

- Central East ATTC
- Great Lakes ATTC
- Mid-America ATTC
- Mountain Plains ATTC
- New England ATTC
- Northeast & Caribbean ATTC
- Northwest ATTC
- Pacific Southwest ATTC
- Southeast ATTC
- South Southwest ATTC
- National American Indian and Alaska Native ATTC
- <http://attcnetwork.org/home/>

Other Technical Assistance Centers Supported by SAMHSA:

- **[Bringing Recovery Supports to Scale Technical Assistance Center Strategy \(BRSS TACS\)](#)**: advances effective recovery supports and services for people with mental or substance use disorders and their families.
(<https://www.samhsa.gov/brss-tacs>)
- **[Center for the Application of Prevention Technologies \(CAPT\)](#)**: CAPT promotes the application of prevention science to advance state, tribal, jurisdictional, and community efforts to address substance use and misuse.
(<https://www.samhsa.gov/capt/>)
- **[SAMHSA-HRSA Center for Integrated Health Solutions \(CIHS\)](#)**: CIHS is a national training and technical assistance center that promotes the development of integrated primary and behavioral health services.
(<https://www.samhsa.gov/integrated-health-solutions>)
- **[Disaster Technical Assistance Center \(DTAC\)](#)**: DTAC helps states, U.S. territories, tribes, and local providers plan for and respond to behavioral health needs after a disaster. (<https://www.samhsa.gov/dtac>)
- **[National Center for Trauma-Informed Care and Alternatives to Seclusion and Restraint \(NCTIC\)](#)**: NCTIC works to eliminate the use of seclusion, restraints, and other coercive practices and to develop the knowledge base on trauma-informed care. (<https://www.samhsa.gov/nctic>)

- **[Now Is The Time Technical Assistance Center](https://www.samhsa.gov/nitt-ta)**: The NITT-TA Center is the national training and technical assistance (T/TA) center for states, tribes, municipalities, communities, and local education agencies funded under the Project AWARE and Healthy Transitions grant programs. (<https://www.samhsa.gov/nitt-ta>)
- **[National Training and Technical Assistance Center for Child, Youth & Family Mental Health \(NTTAC\)](https://www.samhsa.gov/nttac)**: NTTAC provides states, tribes, and communities with training and technical assistance (TTA) on children’s behavioral health, with a focus on systems of care. (<https://www.samhsa.gov/nttac>)
- **[Partners for Recovery \(PFR\)](https://www.samhsa.gov/partners-for-recovery)**: PFR offers technical support and information to those who deliver services to people with substance use and co-occurring mental health conditions. (<https://www.samhsa.gov/partners-for-recovery>)
- **[Recovery to Practice \(RTP\)](https://www.samhsa.gov/recovery-to-practice)**: helps behavioral health and general healthcare practitioners improve delivery of recovery-oriented services, supports, and treatment. (<https://www.samhsa.gov/recovery-to-practice>)
- **[Service Members, Veterans, and their Families Technical Assistance \(SMVF TA\) Center](https://www.samhsa.gov/smvf-ta-center)**: The SMVF TA Center works with states and territories to strengthen their behavioral health systems for service members, veterans, and their families. (<https://www.samhsa.gov/smvf-ta-center>)
- **[SSI/SSDI Outreach, Access, and Recovery \(SOAR\) Technical Assistance Center](https://www.samhsa.gov/soar)**: Increases access to Social Security disability benefits for people experiencing or at risk of homelessness. (<https://www.samhsa.gov/soar>)
- **[Tribal Training and Technical Assistance Center](https://www.samhsa.gov/tribal-ttac)**: Offers training and technical assistance (TTA) on mental and substance use disorders, suicide prevention, and mental health promotion using the Strategic Cultural Framework. (<https://www.samhsa.gov/tribal-ttac>)